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SUBJECT: NARCOTICS STAFFING FOR LAOS - DEA

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1. COORDINATION ROLE IN LAOS NARCOTICS PROGRAM SHOULD
REMAIN RESPONSIBILITY STATE OFFICER NOT, RPT NOT
NARCOTICS ATTACHE AS PROPOSED REFTTEL PARA 9.

2. STATE HAS BEEN GIVEN THE ROLE OF COORDINATOR OF
OVERSEAS NARCOTICS CONTROL PROGRAMS. IT APPEARS TO US
WE HAVE CLEAR RESPONSIBILITY NOT TO DELEGATE THIS
AUTHORITY TO ANOTHER AGENCY. IN FACT, THE DEPARTMENT
FEELS EMBASSY SHOULD CONSIDER MERITS OF HAVING HIGHER
LEVEL COORDINATOR, PERHAPS DCM, OVERSEE NARCOTICS PROGRAM.

4. WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY'S REACTIONS. KISSINGER

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